

Aspects of Globalization

Poverty/Disease

- Natural disasters
- Many earn less than \$2 a day.
- Many unable to read or write.
- Growing gap between rich and poor
- Debt
- Rapid population growth
- Some natural disasters bring disease.
- Rapid spread of global diseases
- Epidemics such as HIV/AIDS
- Hunger
- Immigration to developed world

Human Rights

- Universal Declaration of Human Rights
- Helsinki Accords
- Despite agreements, human rights abuses occur daily.
- World community monitors human rights.
- Women work for equality in education and workforce.
- UN sets standards for children's rights.
- Indigenous people face abuse.

Environmental Issues

- Industrialization
- Increased population
- Chemical and nuclear pollution
- Desertification
- Global warming